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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 13,903 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 16,102
Steers and Heifers Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh) Hols. Large 3

<u>Fdr. STEERS:</u>		<u>Fdr. HEIFERS:</u>		<u>Hols. STEERS</u>	
348 lbs.	223.92	366 lbs.	191.78	1135 lbs.	82.00
463 lbs.	221.89	459 lbs.	185.06		
556 lbs.	193.60	558 lbs.	169.23		
660 lbs.	177.93	647 lbs.	162.77		
749 lbs.	170.93	743 lbs.	155.17		
837 lbs.	163.21	831 lbs.	152.33		
957 lbs.	155.52	926 lbs.	146.75		

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

Week ending 12/20/2013

(West Plains, Ava)

Receipts: 8241 Week ago: 840 Year ago: 4757

Compared to last week, feeder steers steady to 5.00 higher, heifers steady. Slaughter cows steady, bulls steady to 3.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	206.00-238.00	300-400 lbs.	176.00-187.50
400-500 lbs.	194.00-229.00	400-500 lbs.	163.00-184.00
500-600 lbs.	169.50-207.00	500-600 lbs.	154.50-176.00
600-700 lbs.	159.00-179.00	600-700 lbs.	148.00-158.00
700-800 lbs.	148.50-164.00	700-800 lbs.	142.50-154.00
800-900 lbs.	147.50-160.00	800-900 lbs.	132.50-133.00
900-1000 lbs.	144.00	900-1000 lbs.	131.50

<u>Holsteins:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 77.50-88.00, high dressing 84.00-92.00, low dressing 72.50-82.50 Lean (85-90%) 72.50-82.00	
200-300 lbs.	110.00		
300-400 lbs.	121.00		
400-500 lbs.	121.50		
500-600 lbs.	110.00-115.50		
600-700 lbs.	113.50		
700-800 lbs.	111.00		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1050-2220 lbs 92.50-100.00, high dressing 97.00-108.00, ind. 112.00, low dressing 80.00-93.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs 1100-1320 lbs with 200-300 lb calves 1525.00-1975.00 per pair

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 2 3-7 yrs 1020-1463 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 1300.00-1675.00 per head, lot 31 hd 5-6 yrs 1242 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 1750.00; 7 yrs to short-solid mouth 1100-1500 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 1150.00-1375.00 per head.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield) Cow data w/e 12/20/13

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 5570 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 6284

Cow and Bull Receipts: 1392 Week ago: 629 Year ago: 1633

Compared to two weeks ago, steers under 600 lbs and heifers under 450 lbs 6.00 to 10.00 higher, heavier weights steady to 7.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

<u>STEERS:</u>		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
400-500 lbs.	200.00-227.50	400-500 lbs.	169.00-200.00
500-600 lbs.	178.00-205.00	500-600 lbs.	155.00-174.00
600-700 lbs.	168.00-184.00	600-700 lbs.	154.00-164.10
700-800 lbs.	161.00-173.75	700-800 lbs.	149.00-160.50
800-900 lbs.	158.10-165.50	800-900 lbs.	142.00-153.50

<u>HOLSTEINS:</u>		<u>SLAUGHTER COWS:</u>	
Large Frame 3		Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 79.00-91.50, high dressing 88.00-95.00. Lean (85-90% lean) 71.50-81.00	
300-400 lbs.	Scarce		
400-500 lbs.	Scarce		
500-600 lbs.	Scarce		
600-700 lbs.	Scarce		
700-800 lbs.	Scarce		
800-900 lbs.	Scarce		

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 2nd-3rd stage 1055-1350 lbs 1200.00-1575.00

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short and solid 970-1335 lbs cows with 150-350 lbs calves 1600.00-1900.00

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 2129 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 1429

Compared to two weeks ago, feeders fully steady with a higher undertone noted on yearlings. Slaughter cows 3.00 to 4.00 higher.

<u>FEEDER STEERS:</u>		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	220.00-235.00	300-400 lbs.	192.00-194.00
400-500 lbs.	195.00-221.00	400-500 lbs.	167.00-186.00
500-600 lbs.	181.00-202.75	500-600 lbs.	155.75-169.75
600-700 lbs.	168.25-189.75	600-700 lbs.	152.25-169.75
700-800 lbs.	166.00-182.50	700-800 lbs.	153.50-159.75
800-900 lbs.	157.25-162.75		

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1725-2185 lbs 91.00 few low dressing 80.00-85.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning 78.00-84.00, high dressing 86.00-91.00. Lean 78.00-82.00

BRED COWS: Scarce

COW-CALF PAIRS: Scarce

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WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts: 2119 Week Ago: 0 Year Ago: 0

Compared to two weeks ago, feeders sold steady to 10.00 higher.
Slaughter cows 2.00 lower to 2.00 higher.FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	216.00-229.00
400-500 lbs.	186.00-225.00
500-600 lbs.	169.00-201.00
600-700 lbs.	158.50-189.00
700-800 lbs.	167.00-182.25
800-900 lbs.	154.00-163.75

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	175.00-193.00
400-500 lbs.	172.00-199.00
500-600 lbs.	155.50-190.00
600-700 lbs.	152.00-179.25
700-800 lbs.	150.50-160.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1370-1970 lbs 91.00-
96.00; high dressing ind 99.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
and Boning (75-85% lean)
76.00-89.00, high dressing 84.50
-98.75 Lean (85-90) 72.00-82.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium
and Large 1-2 3-5 yrs 1200-1300 lbs
150-450 lbs calves 2160.00 per pairREPLACEMENT COWS: Me-
dium and Large 1 3-5 yrs 1050-
1300 lbs most 3rd stage 1650.00
-1900.00 per head**EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Macon, Boonville)

Receipts: 1007 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 0

Compared to two weeks ago a light supply sold steady to 10.00 higher.
Slaughter cows firm to 10.00 higher.FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	197.00-220.00
500-600 lbs.	178.00-191.00
600-700 lbs.	171.00-178.50
700-800 lbs.	Scarce
800-900 lbs.	Scarce

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	180.00-190.00
400-500 lbs.	167.00-187.00
500-600 lbs.	157.50-176.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS and HEIF-
ERS: ScarceSLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
and Boning, (70-85% lean) 80.00
-87.00, high dressing 85.00-
93.50. Lean (85-90% lean) 70.00
-80.00COW & CALF PAIRS: ScarceSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1350-2150 lbs 97.50-
100.50, low dressing 82.00-90.00**NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

(Palmyra, Unionville, Green City, New Cambria)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 3228 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 4171

Slaughter Cattle Receipts: 6 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 17

Compared to two weeks ago, feeders under 550 lbs 2.00 to 8.00 higher,
those over steady to 4.00 higher. Slaughter steers and heifers steady.FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	Scarce
400-500 lbs.	205.00-236.00
500-600 lbs.	195.00-214.00
600-700 lbs.	178.75-195.50
700-800 lbs.	177.00-190.00
800-900 lbs.	163.00-169.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	185.00-198.00
400-500 lbs.	170.00-197.50
500-600 lbs.	165.00-186.75
600-700 lbs.	160.00-171.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-
3 pkg 1420 lbs. 134.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking
and Boning (75-85% lean)
76.00-88.50SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2
-3 1175-1250 lbs 132.00-133.00SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1350-2250 lbs 91.00-
97.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium
and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs 1100-1400
lbs with 300-400 lb calves some
rebred 2200.00-2425.00 per pairREPLACEMENT COWS: Medi-
um and Large 1-2 2-7 yrs 1100-
1450 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage
1725.00-1950.00 per head**SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

Week ending 12/20/2013

(Farmington, Patton)

Receipts: 2124 Week ago: 261 Year ago: 1756

Compared to two weeks ago steers and heifers steady to 10.00 higher.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	190.00-225.00
400-500 lbs.	177.00-222.00
500-600 lbs.	155.00-185.00
600-700 lbs.	149.00-172.00
700-800 lbs.	139.50-155.50
800-825 lbs.	135.00-149.50

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	172.50-203.00
400-500 lbs.	159.00-182.50
500-600 lbs.	145.00-164.00
600-700 lbs.	143.00-159.00
700-800 lbs.	140.00-150.00

REPLACEMENT COWS:Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 1040
-1505 lbs 2nd-3rd stage 1100.00-
1775.00SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakingand Boning (75-85% lean) 74.00
-80.50 Lean (85-90% lean)
60.50-70.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium
and Large 1-2 5-7 yrs 1145-1310
lbs 120-310 lbs calves 1550.00-
2175.00SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1310-2365 lbs 79.50-
92.50, high dressing 93.50-
100.50**SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY**

Week ending 12/20/2013

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 2104 Week ago: 1048 Year ago: 2258

Compared to last week, steady to 6.00 higher with some light heifers
under 550 lbs 6.00-10.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00-2.00 higher.FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	200.00-226.00
400-500 lbs.	193.00-226.00
500-600 lbs.	172.50-197.00
600-700 lbs.	162.50-188.75
700-800 lbs.	155.00-161.00
800-900 lbs.	151.00-154.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	178.00-196.00
400-500 lbs.	165.00-187.00
500-600 lbs.	155.00-178.00
600-700 lbs.	144.50-163.00
700-800 lbs.	140.50-146.00
Lot 938 lbs.	133.25

REPLACEMENT COWS: Large 1
pkg blks yearling plus 1025 lbs 2nd
stage 1925.00 per headSLAUGHTER COWS: Break-
ing and Boning (70-85% lean)
76.00-82.00. Lean (85-90%)
68.00-76.00COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and
Large 1 blks 3 yrs to short-solid
mouth 1150-1500 lbs with 150-200 lb
calves 1900.00-2300.00 per pairSLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield
Grade 1-2 1225-2350 lbs 85.00-
93.00, high dressing 96.00**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT**

Weekly Receipts: 0 Week ago: 0 Year ago: 200

Trading inactive as of 8:00am Friday. No confirmed live or dressed
sales.LIVE STEERS & HEIFERS:

No sales reported

DRESSED STEERS & HEIFERS:

No sales reported

GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid):

No sales reported

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts: 1504 Week ago: 1504 Year ago: 1871

Compared to last week, barrows and gilts 1.00 lower to 2.00 higher.
Sows 2.00 lower to 2.00 higher.BARROWS AND GILTS:Base carcass meat price 73.00,
Weekly top Mon 74.00SOWS:300-500 lbs. 56.00-64.00
Over 500 lbs. 60.00-68.00

**MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT
WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT**

Receipts: 3203 Compared to last week, weaner pig sales were steady. No feeder pig sales were reported. Prices per head. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights, fob the farm 0% negotiated, 1250 head, 10 lbs, 36.50. Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights, delivered 0% negotiated, 706 head, 10 lbs, 45.00-78.00, weighted average price 57.22.

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES

(DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS) Week ending 12/20/2013

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	468.70	447.50	459.00	220.00
St. Louis	526.00	445.00	467.50	185.00

**Mexico - Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards
Sheep and Goat Auction**

Receipts: 276 Last week: 0 Last year: 392

SHEEP:131 head (prices per hundred weight) Slaughter Lambs: non-traditional markets, Choice few Prime 2-3 pkg 57 lbs 198.00; few pkgs 65-85 lbs 165.00-182.00; pkg 105 lbs 150.00. Replacement Ewes: bred hair 87-120 lbs 92.50-107.50 per head.

GOATS: 145 head Slaughter Kids: Selection 1-2 52-62 lbs 260.00-270.00. Selection 2 49-51 lbs 240.00; 42-45 lbs 85.00-90.00. Nannies Selection 1-2 95-120 lbs 105.00-125.00; 120-130 lbs 97.00-117.00; 150-170 lbs 85.00-90.00.

**Springfield Livestock Marketing Center Special Dairy Sale
12/17/2013**

Receipts: 407 Last Special: 449 Last Year: no sale

Springer Heifers bred 7-9 mos: Supreme 1300.00-1350.00. Approved 1100.00-1280.00, Cross 1050.00-1150.00. Heifers bred 3-6 mos Supreme 1350.00. Approved 1060.00-1280.00, Cross 1070.00-1210.00. Heifers bred 1-3 mos: Approved 1020.00-1095.00. Open Heifers: Approved 250-285 lbs Jersey 355.00-380.00; 320-365 lbs Jersey 390.00-440.00; 440-445 Cross 530.00-560.00; 490-495 lbs 510.00-520.00; 720-725 lbs 760.00-800.00. Replacement Cows: Fresh Supreme 1250.00-1550.00. Approved 1075.00-1250.00. Medium 875.00-1010.00. Springer Cows: Supreme 1425.00-1550.00. Approved 1050.00-1275.00. Cows bred 3-6 mos: Supreme 1200.00-1350.00. Baby Calves: Holstein heifers 125.00, Jersey heifers 90.00-130.00, Holstein bulls 170.00-210.00, Dairy cross bulls 160.00-220.00, Swiss cross bulls 120.00-190.00.

Diamond—TS White's Sheep and Goat Sale 1/2/14

Receipts: 1274 Last Month: 854 Year Ago: 1117

Sheep - Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 hair 40-50 lbs 230.00-235.00; 60-70 lbs 212.50-235.00 few at 245.00; 70-80 lbs 180.00-230.00. Feeder/Stocker Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 hair 40-50 lbs 200.00-237.50. Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 woolled 115-180 lbs 70.00-85.00; hair 70-135 lbs 71.00-105.00.

Goats - Slaughter Classes: Kids Selection: 1 50-60 lbs 280.00-307.50; 60-70 lbs 295.50-302.50; 70-80 lbs 275.00-287.50. Selection 1-2 40-50 lbs 280.00-305.00. Selection 2 50-60 lbs 255.00-285.00; 60-70 lbs 275.00-290.00; 70-90 lbs 200.00-220.00. Selection 3 50-60 lbs 245.00-255.00; 60-100 lbs 215.00-260.00. Does/Nannies: Selection 1-2 90-170 lbs 115.00-165.00. Selection 3 84-117 lbs 80.00-130.00. Billies: Selection 1-2 90-190 lbs 142.50-175.00. Selection 3 60-120 lbs 120.00-160.00. Replacement Nannies: Selection 1 few 105-130 lbs 155.00. Selection 3 Dairy 150.00-250.00 a head. Stocker/Feeder Kids: Selection 2 20-30 lbs 215.00-220.00; 30-40 lbs 230.00-285.00; 40-50 lbs 255.00-280.00. Selection 3 20-30 lbs 160.00-205.00; 30-40 lbs 150.00-200.00; 40-70 lbs 160.00-232.50.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .34 to .42 lower, Wheat .04 to .07 lower, Corn .03 to .04 lower, Kansas City Wheat .02 to .04 lower, Soybean Meal 12.00 to 21.20 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans					
Jan	1328 1/4	1312 1/2	Holiday	1287	1289 1/4
Mar	1308 3/4	1292 1/2		1270	1271 1/4
May	1292	1277		1257 1/4	1258 1/4
Jul	1278 3/4	1264 1/2		1246 1/4	1248 1/4
Aug	1247 1/4	1234 1/2		1221 1/4	1221
Wheat					
Mar	600 1/2	605 1/4	Holiday	597	605 3/4
May	607 1/2	612		603 3/4	611 1/4
Jul	612 3/4	616 3/4		608 1/4	614 1/2
Sep	622 1/4	626 1/2		618 1/4	624 1/4
Dec	636	640 1/2		632 1/4	637 3/4
Corn					
Mar	423 1/2	422	Holiday	420 1/2	423 1/2
May	431 3/4	430 1/4		429	431 3/1
Jul	438 3/4	437		435 3/4	438 3/4
Sep	444 3/4	443 1/2		442	445
Dec	451	450 1/4		448 1/4	452
KC Wheat					
Mar	635 3/4	640 1/2	Holiday	631 1/4	642 1/2
May	638 1/4	643		634	644 1/4
Jul	640 1/4	643 1/2		634 3/4	644
Sep	653 1/4	656		647 3/4	656 3/4
Dec	667	669 1/4		661 3/4	670 1/4
SB Meal					
Jan	450.30	437.20	Holiday	423.80	424.50
Mar	427.10	417.00		406.30	407.10
May	415.70	407.60		399.30	400.10
Jul	408.10	400.90		393.80	394.90
Aug	395.60	389.50		384.50	385.30

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .15 to 1.35 higher, Lean Hogs .20 to 1.02 higher, Feeder Cattle .30 to 1.18 higher.

Daily Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle					
Dec	134.40	134.50	Holiday	—	—
Feb	135.10	134.62		135.62	136.30
Apr	135.75	135.30		135.80	136.57
Jun	129.72	129.42		129.67	130.05
Aug	128.20	127.92		128.02	128.15
Lean Hogs					
Feb	84.97	85.42	Holiday	87.07	86.67
Apr	90.45	90.67		91.80	91.57
May	98.20	98.20		99.00	98.70
Jun	99.97	100.15		101.07	101.00
Jul	98.90	98.85		99.65	99.75
Fdr Cat					
Jan	167.27	166.70	Holiday	167.00	167.62
Mar	167.95	137.40		167.00	168.10
Apr	168.82	168.10		168.22	168.95
May	169.17	168.67		168.95	169.70
Aug	170.52	170.30		170.57	171.00
Milk					
Dec	18.99	18.99	Holiday	—	—
Jan	19.48	19.34		19.66	19.66
Feb	18.78	18.67		19.12	19.68

By-Product Feed Prices Week ending 1/03/2014

Alfalfa Pellets 17%, Centerview, MO 330.00; Corn Gluten Feed pelleted, Baring, MO 215.00; Distillers Grain Dried, Kansas City, MO 230.00; Soy Hulls Mexico, MO 220.00. Prices per ton.

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Weekly Trends: Soybeans .26 to .63 lower, Soft Wheat .07 lower to .01 higher, Corn .02 lower to .07 higher, Sorghum .08 to .09 lower.

Area	#1 Soybeans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
<u>Kansas City</u>				
Friday**	13.29-13.36	5.84-5.89	4.17-4.21	7.54
Monday	13.13-13.33	5.75-5.91	4.13-4.26	6.92-7.46
Tuesday	12.97-13.17	5.80-5.87	4.12-4.24	6.82-7.44
Wednesday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday
Thursday	12.65-12.92	5.72-5.88	4.10-4.22	6.78-7.41
Friday	12.66-12.91	5.80-5.96	4.18-4.28	6.83-7.46
<u>St. Louis</u>				
Friday**	13.71	6.39	4.37	8.44
Monday	13.66-13.68	6.30	4.36-4.39	8.37
Tuesday	13.52-13.56	6.40	4.35-4.41	8.33
Wednesday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday
Thursday	13.25	6.32	4.34-4.39	8.30
Friday	13.27-13.31	6.40	4.39	8.35
<u>Central</u>				
Friday**	13.17-13.22	5.68-5.73	4.28-4.32	n/a
Monday	13.13-13.14	5.61-5.66	4.24-4.29	n/a
Tuesday	12.93-12.98	5.65-5.70	4.22-4.27	n/a
Wednesday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	n/a
Thursday	12.70-12.75	5.57-5.62	4.21-4.26	n/a
Friday	12.71-12.76	5.66-5.71	4.24-4.29	n/a
<u>S.E. MO</u>				
Friday**	13.63-13.79	6.31-6.58	4.29-4.50	8.07
Monday	13.59-13.80	6.24-6.49	4.25-4.46	8.00
Tuesday	13.45-13.65	6.23-6.54	4.31-4.45	8.03
Wednesday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday	Holiday
Thursday	13.19-13.36	6.15-6.48	4.30-4.45	8.01
Friday	13.17-13.40	6.24-6.60	4.31-4.50	8.03

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)
*NEW CROP **PREVIOUS WEEK'S PRICES

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary Week ending 1/03/2014

Another batch of cold weather and some snow has farmers feeding full diets to livestock once again. Luckily for producers many still have hay piles larger than they normally start with at the beginning of feeding season. This has however made the business of selling quite slow. Every ag trader publication and online service is currently packed full of listings as brokers and even producers try to move some surplus. Despite the heavy supply and much cheaper corn market hay prices remain steady as producers try to made a few sales while still covering the cost of production. The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay directory available for both buyers and sellers. To be listed, or for a directory visit <http://mda.mo.gov/abd/haydirectory/> or for current listings of hay <http://agebb.missouri.edu/haylst/> (All prices f.o.b. and per ton unless specified and on most recent reported sales prices listed as round bales based generally on 5x6 bales with weights of approximately 1200-1500 lbs).

Supreme quality Alfalfa (RFV >185) 225.00-300.00
Premium quality Alfalfa (RFV 170-180) 200.00-275.00
Good quality Alfalfa (RFV 150-170) 160.00-225.00
Fair quality Alfalfa (RFV 130-150) 100.00-170.00

Good quality Mixed Grass hay 90.00-160.00
Fair to Good quality Mixed Grass hay 70.00-100.00
Fair quality Mixed Grass hay 30.00-45.00 per large round bale

Wheat straw 3.00-5.00 per small square bale